

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

SIR:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated December 23, 2009 of the Primary Examiner twice or finally rejecting claims 1 and 3-11.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. The time for response to the Office Action of December 23, 2009 expires on April 23, 2010.
2. A _-month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated _ was filed on_. [No additional extensions of time are required.]
- 3a. Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of December 23, 2009. Please charge our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412 in the amount of \$130 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time.

3b. This is not the first request for an extension of time relative to the outstanding paper. The period for response has already been extended by -month(s) by petition dated . Please extend the time for response by an additional -month(s). With this extension, the deadline for filing the required paper will be . Payment for the additional extension fee of \$ is enclosed.

4. Payment of the appeal fee of \$540

- is enclosed herewith.
- No additional fee is required (fee paid in prior appeal).
- Charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

5. Charge any additional fees required, for example, for lodging this appeal or for filing the Appeal Brief, not otherwise paid, to Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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